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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

KATSUTOSHI USHIDA

Application No.: 09/588,683

Filed: June 7, 2000

For: COMMUNICATION
APPARATUS,
COMMUNICATION METHOD,
COMMUNICATION SYSTEM,
AND STORAGE MEDIUM

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 3, 2005, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted
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